ABSTRACT

A positioning system 1 for an applicator 4 is provided which can discriminate and present an optimum position of the applicator 4 inserted into a living body in order to treat an affected part.

The positioning system 1 for an applicator 4 includes a glove 2 for being used for a diagnosis of the affected part, a mark body 3 provided on the glove 2, an applicator 4 for being inserted into a living body, and an energy emitter 5 provided on the applicator 4 for supplying energy to the living body. The positioning system 1 further includes a sensor 6 provided on the applicator 4 and capable of detecting the distance to the mark body 3, a control apparatus 70 for discriminating an optimum position of the applicator 4 based on the distance between the sensor 6 and the mark body 3 while the mark body 3 is disposed in the proximity of the affected part based on a diagnosis performed using the glove 2, and a display apparatus 8 for displaying a result of the discrimination by the control apparatus 70.